Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 12 Feb 2021 until 23:59 on Saturday 13 Feb 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 11 Feb 2021 at 16:49

Confidence: High for cold and very windy conditions on Friday then the transition to less cold weather over the weekend and early next week. Lower confidence on sleet/snow details on Saturday and Sunday.

Headline for Friday 12 Feb 2021: Dry with sunny/clear periods. Very cold with strong winds on the tops,

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 12 Feb 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
High Likelihood

Severe chill effect
High Likelihood

Poor visibility
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%

Forecast for Friday 12 Feb 2021

Weather: It will be another dry, bright day with some hazy sunshine.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 90%.

Visibility: Generally good with much of the cloud cover above the tops.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	39/54 SE	36/50 SE	37/52 SE	37/52 SE	39/54 SE	38/53 SE	40/58 SE	41/59 SE	38/54 SE
300	21/36 SE	20/35 SE	21/36 SE	21/36 SE	24/40 SE	23/39 SE	23/40 SE	24/41 SE	22/38 SE
Valley	18/36 SE	17/34 SE	18/35 SE	18/35 SE	22/39 SE	21/38 SE	20/39 SE	21/40 SE	20/38 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	-4/-14	-4/-14	-3/-13	-3/-13	-3/-13	-2/-12	-2/-12	-3/-13	-4/-14
300	-1/-8	-1/-8	-1/-8	-0/-7	0/-7	1/-6	0/-7	-1/-8	-1/-8
Valley	0/-6	0/-6	0/-6	1/-5	2/-5	2/-4	2/-5	1/-6	0/-6
<< Freezing Level*	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling bitterly cold due to combination of strong winds and sub-zero temperatures.

Forecast for Saturday 13 Feb 2021

Weather: A cloudy day and although starting dry, snow will extend from the west to all parts during the morning. Some heavier snow is possible in the afternoon with blizzard conditions on the tops, dying out during the evening.

Maximum wind: Strong southeasterly winds, average speeds on higher ridges and summits of 30mph and gusts 50mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: Little chance.

Visibility: Visibility will become very poor during the morning as snow sets in. Whiteout conditions are likely in the afternoon as snow becomes heavier.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 1 Celsius
At 700m: Minus 3 Celsius rising to Minus 1 Celsius during evening.
Freezing level: Temperatures below freezing at most levels rising to 500m during evening.

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